

Statistics based on 2014

There are just 5,6 million people in Denmark

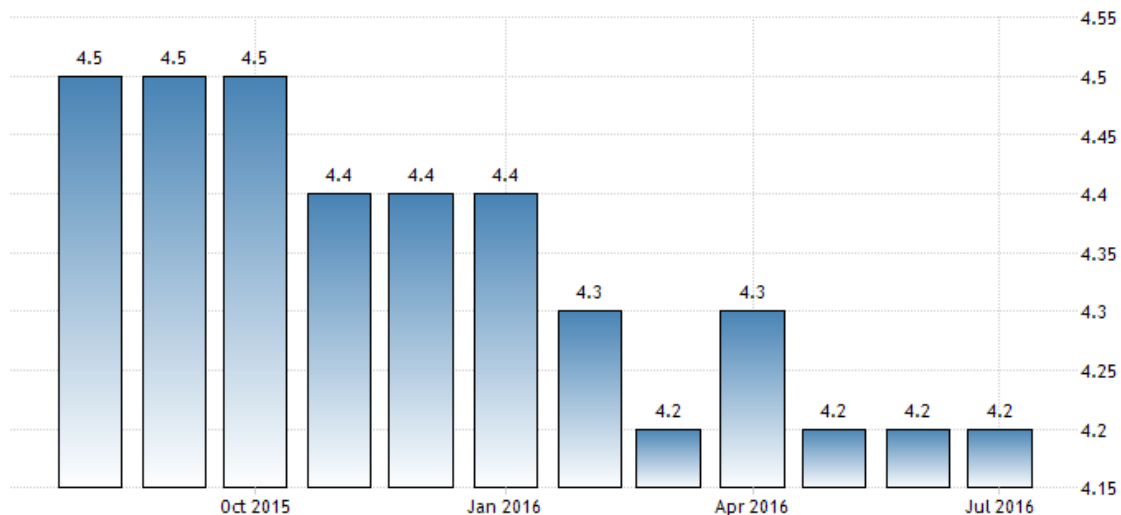
### Unemployment in Denmark:

- Based on gender, there are about 96 thousand men, who aren't employed. The same goes to women. There are about 91 thousand women, who also don't have a job.
- We have about 187 thousand people who are unemployed in Denmark, and that is a lot. It used to be a little higher, we kind of got a little more control of it. We are still thinking of solutions to this unemployment, but it's not going so fast. One of the reasons to why women are unemployed, is that they are on maternity leave, or just can't work because they are unable to function at a workplace. Then the reason why men may not be working, can be that they also can be on paternity leave, but that's unusual, that they are.
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- For the sixth year Allerød municipality has Denmark's lowest unemployment rate on 3.5%. Ishøj municipality has Denmark's highest unemployment rate on 9.6%. Also Lolland, Læsø and Albertslund municipality have are high unemployment rate on 7.2%

### Denmark Youth Unemployment For People Under 25 Years:

Every 6th young dane doesn't have a job and that's approximately 186.000 people. More than the half of them haven't even had a job within six months. There will be even less skilled or educated all over the country than there is today.

Denmark fell, like most of the other European countries, into a deep recession after 2008, but still had high employment rates for young people and at the top end when it comes to the usual measures of economic and social performance. Young people in Denmark, who belongs to ethnic minorities, stand in a rather difficult situation though.



## **Young people in education**

- 91.231 applied to further education in 2014.
- In progress with a youth education (upper secondary)
  - The age is from 18-25. In 2014 162.195 people joined an upper secondary education. And in 2015 there were 151.930 young people. This does not mean that less were without education, it could also be because there were less young people this year. Also in 2015 there were 131.478 young people without an upper secondary education.
- What do young people without education do?
  - Those who don't have an education or have started one, either work or they're trying to get into an education. There are a lot of reasons to why they don't have an education. Maybe they didn't have the best grades so they couldn't meet the admission requirements or maybe they just haven't figured out what to study.. There are so many choices and it can be very difficult.

## **Early school leaving from higher education:**

84 percent of the youth are expected to have completed a youth education (upper secondary) maximum 10 years after ninth grade. That means that 16 percent or every sixth person in a graduating class does not have a youth education while they are 25 to 26 years of age.

## **Reasons to stop an education:**

Bad primary school experiences make bad school commitment and then there is a big chance of dropping out.

If they aren't motivated enough, or doesn't get enough support from their families, there is a risk of them dropping out. Or if there is illness

Of the 64.000 young people, who started on a further education last year, is 15,6% of them now dropped out.

That's conform to almost a drop out on every 6 student.